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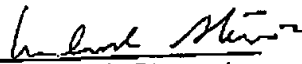
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This communication is in response to the Office Action of September 29, 2004.

The Examiner required restriction of the claims one of three inventions identified in the Office Action. The applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I.

This election is made without prejudice to the applicant's right to file divisional or continuation applications directed to the non-elected inventions.

Yours very truly,


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